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## All Part Of The War Effort

Our warning a couple of weeks ago that the international Communist manifesto favoring peaceful coexistence was no cause for rejoicing in the West is supported by no less a person than Gen. C. P. Cabell, deputy director of the U. S. Central Intelligence Agency.

After declaring in a recent speech that Nikita Khrushchev and his aides want to dominate the whole world, Gen. Cabell said:

"Theirs is the language of total war. They have a consistency and a single-mindedness about promoting a world revolution which is unique in the history of dictatorships."

This fact, of course, is not something that can be dug up only by intelligence agents. The Communists themselves have never made a secret of it. It is part and parcel of Communist doctrine and anyone who does not subscribe to it is no real Red.

The significance of its repetition by Gen. Cabell is that he considers it worth repeating because so many people are so ready so often to be misled by Kremlin pratings of peaceful coexistence.

The general put this term in perspective

by relating it to the military situation which is of constant interest to Kremlin bosses intent on dominating the world. He said:

"We believe that the Soviets foresee a period of 'so-called mutual deterrence' when neither side has a distinct military superiority—a period called by the Soviets 'peaceful coexistence.'"

Consequently, he went on, the free world must be prepared both for direct military attack and for long-term erosion.

"If we display weakness . . . they will strike."

That states the matter clearly. Peaceful coexistence is not a policy of friendship. It is not even a temporary halt in aggression. It is a strategy of war, as aggressive in its objective as the launching of a barrage of missiles.

It cannot even be considered non-militaristic, because it is conceived in light of the world military situation.

The whole picture was summed up by Gen. Cabell in answer to the question of when the Russians will strike. His reply:

"They have attacked, they are attacking and they will continue to attack."